

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of Show-Me State religious organizations that admirably strive to meet the spiritual and educational needs of local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, the College Mound Camp Meeting of the Church of God (Holiness) enjoys a long, illustrious history that extends to 1883, which makes it the oldest Church of God (Holiness) camp west of the Mississippi; and

Whereas, serving as a meeting place for the Churches of God (Holiness) in Missouri and the greater midwest, the one hundred twenty-fifth College Mound Camp Meeting will take place from June 18 to June 24, 2007, to provide spiritual instruction, renewal, and a challenge for its attendees to live godly lives and to meet the diverse needs of the world; and

Whereas, the College Mound Camp Meeting has played a significant role in the growth of the Church of God (Holiness), helped to found a Bible College, served as headquarters for the church's publications, and established an orphanage; and

Whereas, the College Mound Camp board includes chairman Ron Allred, vice chairman Ralph E. Wheeler, Jr., secretary/treasurer James Sayler, and members Lewain Dysart, Hiram McClain, Roger Lucas, David Bond, and Tim Rimmole; and

Whereas, down through the years the College Mound Camp has been the location for the Pauline Holiness College, McGee Holiness College and Ministerial Training, and the series of publications that became "The Church Herald and Holiness Banner"; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily activities in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri church organizations as the College Mound Camp Meeting of the Churches of God (Holiness) at momentous times in their histories:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the history, goals, and accomplishments associated with the College Mound Camp Meeting of the Church of God (Holiness) and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as they hold their One Hundred Twenty-fifth meeting in June 2007; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the 2007 College Mound Camp Meeting of the Church of God (Holiness).

Offered by _____
Representative Therese Sander
District No. 22

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. _____, adopted _____, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker